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## SUBMISSION OF DEFICIENCY UNDER 37 CFR § 1.28(c)(2)(ii)

It has come to the attention of the Applicants that through error the Office was not notified of a loss of entitlement to small entity status as required under 37 CFR § 1.28(g)(2) for the above referenced Patent. Under 37 CFR 1.28(c), Applicants are submitting an itemization and deficiency payment for Patent No. 6,987,025. The following table provides an itemization of the deficiency payment with all information required under 37 CFR § 1.28(c)(2)(ii). The fee for processing and retaining this Patent as a large entity in the amount of \$1111.00 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization.

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The following table provides an itemization of the deficiency payment required under 37 CFR § 1.28(c)(2)(ii) for erroneously not notifying the Office of the loss of entitlement to small entity status as required under 37 CFR § 1.28(g)(2).

Type of fee	Current fee	Small entity fee	Date of small	Deficiency
erroneously	amount for a	actually paid	entity fee	owed amount
paid as a small	non-small entity	37 CFR §	actually paid	37 CFR §
entity	37 CFR §	1.28(c)(2)(ii)(B)	37 CFR §	1.28(c)(2)(ii)(C)
37 CFR §	1.28(c)(2)(ii)(A)		1.28(c)(2)(ii)(B)	
1.28(c)(2)(ii)(A)				
Issue Fee	\$1,510.00	\$ 700.00	March 6, 2005	\$ 810.00
Publication Fee	300.00	0.00	March 6, 2005	300.00

TOTAL	\$1110.00
DEFICIENCY	\$1110.00

In view of the foregoing, Applicants hereby notify the USPTO of the change of status of this patent to large entity and requests that the error in status be excused.

Respectfully submitted,

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